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FOR SECRETARY BERGLAND

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SUBJECT: GUNDELACH MEETING WITH SECRETARY BERGLAND AND
AMBASSADOR STRAUSS

REF: STATE 124430

1. COMMISSIONER GUNDELACH CALLED ME JUNE 19 TO DISCUSS HIS
VISIT TO WASHINGTON. HE PROFESSED SOME UNCERTAINTY ABOUT
DESIRABILITY OF PROCEEDING NOW, ATTRIBUTING HIS DOUBTS
TO AMERICAN SOURCE HE DECLINED IDENTIFY, BUT IN LIGHT MY
REACTION HE RECONFIRMED INTENT MEET WITH SECRETARY
BERGLAND AND STRAUSS IN WASHINGTON JULY 14. HE STRESSED
DISCUSSIONS SHOULD STILL BE CONSIDERED AS EXPLORATORY, AS
COMPARED TO NEGOTIATING, WHICH HE SAYS WILL COME IN FALL.
MORE ENCOURAGINGLY HE STATES HE UNDERSTANDS FULL WELL
NECESSITY FOR CHANGE IN COMMISSION NEGOTIATING MANDATE
AND ENVISAGES TALKS AS HELPING HIM FORMULATE NEW PROPOSALS
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FOR COUNCIL. "I HAVE NO INTENTION OF CONDUCTING DIS-
CUSSIONS ON BASIS EXISTING MANDATE, THEREFORE IT IS
IMPERATIVE THAT ATTENDANCE AT TALKS BE RESTRICTED AND THAT
STRICT CONFIDENTIALITY BE PRESERVED."

2. GUNDELACH PROPOSED HOLD FURTHER DISCUSSION WITH ME
PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AMBASSADOR STRAUSS JULY 11, PERHAPS LATE

THIS WEEK. ACCORDINGLY, I WOULD APPRECIATE PROMPT WASHINGTON GUIDANCE, INCLUDING IDEAS RE TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION MENTIONED REFTTEL. HINTON

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